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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION

Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts dated April 14, 1998, please find enclosed a Declaration and Power of Attorney, Form PTO-1533, and a Verified Statement Claiming Small Entity Status for the above-identified application.

Please find enclosed a Petition for an Extension of Time, extending the time for response from June 14, 1998 to September 14, 1998.

Also enclosed please find a Diskette Containing Sequence Listing; Copy of Form PTO-1661; Preliminary Amendment, Declaration Regarding Diskette, and paper copy of Sequence Listing.

Also enclosed is a check in the amount of \$1,828 for the requisite fees. The fees have been calculated in accordance with applicant's small entity status.

The fees have been calculated after taking into consideration the enclosed Preliminary Amendment:

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Basic Fee	\$ 395		
Total Claims (33, 13 extra)	143		
Independent Claims (18,15 extra)	615		
Multiple Dependent Claims Surcharge	135		
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Total	\$ 1,353		
Extension-of-Time Fee	 475		
TOTAL	\$ 1,828		

The Assistant Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional filing fees or to credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-1090. A duplicate copy of this response is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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Declaration and Power of Attorney

Verified Statement Claiming Small Entity Status

Copy of Form PTO-1533

Petition for an Extension of Time (+ 2 copies)

- Diskette Containing Sequence Listing
 - Copy of Form PTO-1661
- > Preliminary Amendment

Declaration Regarding Diskette

Paper Copy of Sequence Listing

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